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For: A VACUUM PROCESS APPARATUS

RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

March 4, 1993

Sir:

The following is responsive to the Office Action dated
December 4, 1992.

In The Claims

Please delete Claims 8, 9, 13 and 19 without prejudice to
or disclaimer of the subject matter therein.

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) A vacuum process apparatus for processing
at least one workpiece, comprising a chamber with:

[-] at least two [stations] openings defining
respective opening areas for one of treating [or] and handling
said at least one workpiece [and having each at least one opening
for the workpiece] thereat;

[-] a transport device rotatable around [an] a
rotational axis;

[-] a drive arrangement for rotating said transport
device;